



Steve Sawtell and Travis Wells

VOICE & DATA SYSTEMS RECEIVES UNIFIED COMMUNICATION INDUSTRY'S TOP AWARD

*Technology Assurance Group
Recognizes Voice & Data Systems as
the Elite Provider at STAR CON*

OMAHA, NE AND COUNCIL BLUFFS, IA — December 3, 2013 — Voice & Data Systems, a leading unified communications provider, announced today that the company received one of Technology Assurance Group's top awards at the association's STAR CON event held in San Diego in October. Technology Assurance Group (TAG), an international organization of independently owned unified communications companies in the United States and Canada, selected Voice & Data Systems as the winner of the "Performance Excellence Award" for exceptional economic performance and superior customer satisfaction. Voice & Data Systems was highlighted as a premier provider during a prestigious awards ceremony attended by TAG's Member companies and leading technology manufacturers.

The highly sought after awards, which are given out annually, are based on overall financial performance, customer satisfaction, and the ability to provide customers with cost effective unified communication solutions. "In 2012, Voice & Data Systems

experienced phenomenal growth that propelled them past the best companies in the industry," said Brian Suerth, EVP/Partner of Technology Assurance Group. "Voice & Data Systems' philosophy of providing technology solutions that increase their customers' profitability, improve employee productivity, and enhance brand image fueled the company's overall success. In addition to offering solutions with the purpose of accomplishing their customers' business objectives, they maintain a highly talented team of professionals that deliver world class service. Voice & Data Systems is an exceptional Member that is dedicated to acquiring best business practices that continually improve their organization. It was our privilege to showcase such a fine company at our annual event."

Steve Sawtell, President and Travis Wells, Vice President accepted the award for the company. "We have built a great company with a solid reputation in our community over the years and it was a wonderful feeling to be recognized by TAG. Voice & Data Systems' customer centric focus, as well as our ability to stay on the pulse of technology, have enabled us to become our customers' trusted advisor. We attribute much

of our success to the many benefits that we receive from our Membership in TAG. The organization enables us to quickly adopt new ways of doing business for the betterment of our customers and our people."

ABOUT VOICE & DATA SYSTEMS

Voice & Data Systems provides state-of-the-art unified communications technology to businesses in the Omaha-Council Bluffs metro and surrounding communities. The company creates customized, turnkey solutions specific to their customer's business for telephone systems, data networks, video surveillance and converged networking applications. Voice & Data Systems friendly, manufacturer-certified technicians are available 24/7 to serve business needs for communication systems as well as voice, data, fiber optic and video cabling, testing and troubleshooting. Their mission is to provide technology solutions that increase their customers' profitability, improve employee productivity, and give them a competitive advantage in their marketplace. For more information, please call (402) 571-9049 or visit www.voicendata.net.

**ABOUT TECHNOLOGY
ASSURANCE GROUP (TAG)**

Technology Assurance Group, LLC (TAG) is an international organization of leading independently owned business communications companies. TAG provides its members with the

competitive advantages necessary to achieve a dominant position in their marketplace. Members benefit from programs including strategic partnerships with communication solution providers, best business and management practices, and advanced sales training programs. TAG's mission is to increase its Members' sales and

profits through education and to ease their introduction of new technology to the marketplace by leveraging their combined intellect and purchasing power. For more information on TAG, please call 858-946-2100 or visit www.tagnational.com.